

REMARKS

Claims 1-12 and 14-21 are pending in this application. By this Amendment, claims 1 and 11 are amended. No new matter is added.

Entry of the amendments is proper under 37 CFR §1.116 because the amendments: (a) place the application in condition for allowance (for the reasons discussed herein); (b) do not raise any new issue requiring further search and/or consideration; (c) satisfy a requirement of form asserted in the previous Office Action; (d) do not present any additional claims; and (e) place the application in better form for appeal, should an appeal be necessary. The amendments are necessary and were not earlier presented because they are made in response to arguments raised in the final rejection. Entry of the amendments is thus respectfully requested.

Applicants appreciate the courtesies shown to Applicants' representative by Examiners Roswell and Hailu in the January 9, 2008 personal interview. Applicants' separate record of the substance of the interview is incorporated into the following remarks. As agreed at the personal interview, the amendments place the application in condition for allowance.

I. **Allowed and Allowable Claims.**

Applicants appreciate the Office Action's indication that claim 21 is allowed and that claims 1-12 and 14-20 would be allowable if rewritten to overcome the rejection under 35 U.S.C. §112, second paragraph.

II. **The Claims Are Clear.**

The Office Action rejects claims 1-12 and 14-20 under 35 U.S.C. §112, second paragraph, as allegedly being unclear because one of ordinary skill in the art would not have known how to interpret the term "similar" as recited in "appear to be similar to a viewer." Applicants respectfully traverse the rejection.

By this Amendment, the cited expression is removed from claims 1 and 11, rendering the rejection moot. Applicants request withdrawal of the rejection.

III. **Conclusion.**

In view of the foregoing, it is respectfully submitted that this application is in condition for allowance. Favorable reconsideration and prompt allowance of claims are earnestly solicited.

Should the Examiner believe that anything further would be desirable in order to place this application in even better condition for allowance, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the telephone number set forth below.

Respectfully submitted,



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